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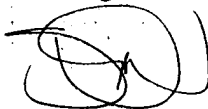
Re: **Status Inquiry**
Applicant: Lascelles A. Linton
Invention: METHOD OF REDUCING ONLINE FRAUD
Application No: 10/090,207
Filing Date: 03/01/2002
Group Art Unit: 2164
Our File: LINK102

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please provide me with the status of the above-referenced utility patent application. Our last correspondence with the Patent Office was a Status Report stating the application would be examined approximately 15 months from July of 2003. (copy enclosed).

Thank you.

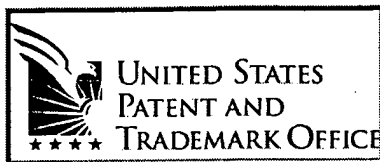
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We currently project that it will be more than 15 months before this application will receive a first office action. This is because the application is classified in a technology that has experienced a large filing rate growth over the last few years. The Office is addressing the growth by adjusting examination resources accordingly. You may wish to consult the MPEP (708.02) to see if filing a petition to make special is appropriate.

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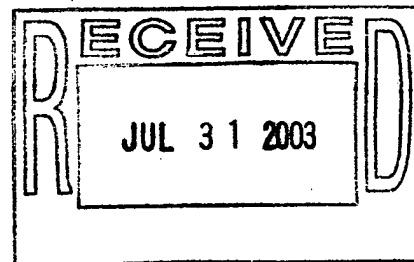
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